


BEST AVAILABLE COPY

OCT 05 2004

<b>CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8</b> I hereby certify that this correspondence, totaling 10 pages including recited attachments, is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at facsimile no.: 703-872-9308 (Central number) on the below date: Date: <u>October 5, 2004</u> Name: <u>James L. Katz</u> Signature: 		
--	--	--

BRINKS
HOFER
GILSON
&LTONE

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Michael E. Teachman et al.

Appln. No.: 10/075,080

Filed: February 13, 2002

For: METHOD FOR UPGRADING FIRMWARE  
IN AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE

Examiner: E. Coleman

Art Unit: 2183

 Attorney Docket No: 6270/73  
 (Client Ref. NO. 300073)

 Mail Stop Issue Fee  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P. O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

## Attached is/are:

- ☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.  
☐ Return Receipt Postcard

## Fee calculation:

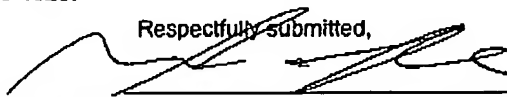
- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small Entity.  
☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).  
☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(\_\_\_\_).  
☒ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	48	Minus	32	16	x \$9=			x \$18=	288
Indep.		Minus			x 43=			x \$66=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
Total					\$			Total \$288	

## Fee payment:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.  
☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$288. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.  
☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,



10-5-04

**This Page is Inserted by IFW Indexing and Scanning  
Operations and is not part of the Official Record**

**BEST AVAILABLE IMAGES**

Defective images within this document are accurate representations of the original documents submitted by the applicant.

Defects in the images include but are not limited to the items checked:

- ☐ **BLACK BORDERS**
- ☐ **IMAGE CUT OFF AT TOP, BOTTOM OR SIDES**
- ☐ **FADED TEXT OR DRAWING**
- ☐ **BLURRED OR ILLEGIBLE TEXT OR DRAWING**
- ☐ **SKEWED/SLANTED IMAGES**
- ☐ **COLOR OR BLACK AND WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS**
- ☐ **GRAY SCALE DOCUMENTS**
- ☐ **LINES OR MARKS ON ORIGINAL DOCUMENT**
- ☐ **REFERENCE(S) OR EXHIBIT(S) SUBMITTED ARE POOR QUALITY**
- ☐ **OTHER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**IMAGES ARE BEST AVAILABLE COPY.**

**As rescanning these documents will not correct the image problems checked, please do not report these problems to the IFW Image Problem Mailbox.**